## **SENATE RESOLUTION 170**

## By Ketron

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Mark McCluskey upon his promotion to battalion chief with the Murfreesboro Fire Rescue Department.

WHEREAS, the members of this legislative body take great pleasure in paying tribute to those outstanding fire rescue officers who have dedicated their careers to protecting and serving the general public; and

WHEREAS, Mark McCluskey, a thirty-three-year veteran of the Murfreesboro Fire

Rescue Department (MFRD), is one such exemplary fire rescue professional, who was recently

promoted to the rank of battalion chief in recognition of his stalwart service; and

WHEREAS, Chief McCluskey began his career as a firefighter with the MFRD in February 1985. Since then, his dedicated service has led him to a series of promotions, including a promotion to driver in 1989 and captain in 1998; and

WHEREAS, Mark McCluskey previously served as a special operations captain, and he is certified as a hazardous materials, confined space, and rope rescue technician. He is also a certified advanced emergency medical technician; and

WHEREAS, Mark McCluskey is most grateful for the love and companionship he shares with his wife of fifteen years, Wendi McCluskey. Together, they have two children, Michael and Mary Faith; and

WHEREAS, Chief McCluskey epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; he is a faithful protector and servant of both his community and this State and is most deserving of his promotion; and

WHEREAS, the members of this legislative body find it most appropriate to acknowledge and applaud Mark McCluskey for his dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and commend Mark McCluskey upon his promotion to battalion chief with the Murfreesboro Fire Rescue Department, express our deepest gratitude for his meritorious service, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.